

**Status of 2007 Bills Potentially Impacting
The New Hampshire Retirement System (NHRS)
As of March 27, 2007**

Inexpedient to Legislate:

CACR1 Relating to the definition of marriage (one man + one woman). Judiciary Committee Report {Vote: 14-6; RC}

HB 346 Establishing a defined contribution retirement option in NHRS. ED&A Committee Report {Vote: 17-0; CC}

HB562 Excluding extra/special duty pay from earnable compensation. ED&A Committee Report {Vote 16-1; CC}

HB569 Re: NHRS retirement age for Group II members. ED&A Committee Report {Vote 16-1; CC}

HB758 Establishing a defined contribution plan, etc. ED&A Committee Report {Vote 15-1; CC}

HB824 Re: Michael's law for police, fire and highway workers. House Finance Committee Report {Vote 22-0; CC}

HB905 Re: establishing civil unions as legally recognized relationships. Judiciary Committee Report {Vote 19-1; RC}

Ought to Pass with Amendment (OTP/AM):

HB235 Relative to recognition of out-of-state marriages. Majority Report of the Judiciary Committee; OTP/AM {#0969h} (Vote 10-8; RC)

HB437 Same gender/spousal unions with same rights, etc. as married couples; OTP/AM {#0972h} (Vote 15-5; RC)

HB629 Re: Authorizing continued membership in Manchester Employees Contributory Retirement System; OTP/AM {#0630h} (Vote 16-0; CC)

HB653 Re: membership in the NHRS Board of Trustees; OTP/AM {#0930h} New Title (Vote 16-0; RC)

HB791 Re: religious freedom & civil marriage. Majority Report of the Judiciary Committee; OTP/AM {#0954h} (Vote 15-5; RC)

HB876 Relative to eliminating the special account, changing the definition of earnable compensation, and revising the calculation of member and employer contribution rates and cost of living adjustments, and assigning all new employees to group I. ED&A Committee Report; OTP/AM {#0950h} (Vote 14-0; CC)

Ought to Pass (OTP):

HB568 Repealing the option to purchase nonqualified service. ED&A Committee Report {Vote: 13-2; CC}

NOTE:

CC = Consent Calendar

RC = Roll Call vote

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